

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

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The paper sheet P peeled off from the photosensitive drum 20 is sent to a fixing device 35 by a belt 34. The fixing device fixes the transferred image to the paper sheet P by heat. The paper sheet P after completion of the fixing is sent to a discharge port 37 by a discharge roller 36 and is discharged from the discharge port 37 to the outside of the body 1.

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The elevation unit 53 has an upper tray T1 for the copy mode, a middle tray T2, and a lower tray T3, which are vertically arranged, and also has paper sensors ~~S1~~ P1, ~~S2~~ P2, and ~~S3~~ P3 for detecting presence or absence of paper sheets P in these trays T1, T2, and T3. By the vertical motion of this elevation unit 53, any one of the trays T1, T2, and T3 is set at a position corresponding to the discharge port 37.

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The height position of the intake unit 54 corresponds to that of the discharge port 37, and receives paper sheets P discharged from the discharge port 37, and feeds the received paper sheets P to the elevation unit through rollers 55, a convey route 56 and [[a]] rollers 57. The paper sheets P thus fed are stacked in any of the trays T1, T2, and T3.

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The sorter interface 77 is connected to an interface 60 of the sorter 50. The interface 60 is connected to a position sensor 61, the paper sensors ~~S1~~ P1, ~~S2~~ P2, and ~~S3~~ P3, and motor drivers 62 and 64. The position sensor 61 detects the height position of the elevation unit 53, i.e., the height positions of the trays T1, T2, and T3. The motor driver 62 drives a motor 63 for raising and lowering the elevation unit 53. The motor driver 64 drives the motor 65 for moving the rollers 55, convey route 56, and rollers 57.

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The scan control section 90 is connected to the ROM 91 for storing a control program, the RAM 92 for storing data, the shading correction section (SHD) 93, a CCD driver 94, a scan motor driver 95, the exposure lamp 5, the automatic document feeder ~~[[50]]~~ 40, and respective original document sensors 11. The CCD driver 94 drives the CCD 10. The scan motor driver 95 drives a scan motor 96 for driving the carriage. The automatic document feeder 40 has a document sensor 43 for detecting an original document D set on the tray 41 and its size.

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The print controller 100 is connected to a ROM 101 for storing a control program, a RAM 102 for storing data, a laser driver 103, a polygon motor driver 104, and a main motor driver 106. The laser driver 103 drives the laser unit 27. The polygon motor driver 104 drives the motor 105 for a polygon mirror for scanning the photosensitive drum 20 with the laser beam B. The main motor driver 106 drives a main motor 107 as a drive source for the photosensitive drum 20 and a paper convey mechanism.

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If the middle tray T2 is set at the position corresponding to the discharge port 37 (YES in step S8), the image of the original document D is immediately printed onto a paper sheet P (step ~~[[S4]]~~ S5). The printed paper sheet P is discharged from the discharge port 37 (step S6). The discharged paper sheet P is received by the sorter 50 and is stacked on the upper tray T1.

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If the middle tray T2 is not set at the position corresponding to the discharge port 37 (NO in step S8), the middle tray T2 is moved to the position corresponding to discharge port 37 (step S9). After completion of this motion, the inputted image is immediately printed onto a paper sheet P (step S5). The printed paper sheet P is discharged from the discharge port 37

(step S6). The discharged paper sheet P is received by the sorter 50 and is stacked on the upper tray T1.

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If the lower tray T3 is not set at the position corresponding to the discharge port 37 (NO in step S11), the lower tray T3 is moved to the position corresponding to discharge port 37 (step S12). After completion of this motion, the received image is immediately printed onto a paper sheet P (step S5). The printed paper sheet P is discharged from, the discharge port 37 (step S6). The discharged paper sheet P is received by the sorter 50 and is stacked on the upper tray T1.